

**SANTA BARBARA COUNTY.**

The Santa Barbara County Medical Society met in regular session at the Chamber of Commerce, March 9th at 8 p. m. Dr. Eugene A. Dial in the chair; the Secretary, Dr. Barry, at his desk. The following members were present: Drs. Barry, Brown, Dial, Hindley, Holt, Sheaff, T. A. Stoddard; visitors,—J. H. Hester, veterinary surgeon, Miss A. L. Frisby, from visiting nurses' association and others.

The subject for the evening was "Pediatrics" (a symposium arranged by Dr. W. L. Holt). The following papers were presented:

1. The Problem of Breast Feeding—W. L. Holt, M. D.
2. Surgical Treatment Acute Anterior Poliomyelitis—R. Brown, M. D.
3. The need of a Visiting Nurse in Santa Barbara—Miss Frisby.
4. The Use of Goat's Milk—J. H. Hester, V. S.

Some interesting clinical cases were presented, and the papers read discussed. The Society is just entering upon a new year and we are hopeful of increased interest and improved attendance.

W. T. BARRY, M. D., Secretary.

**SONOMA COUNTY.**

Sonoma County Society met in regular session on April 2nd at the City Hall, Petaluma. Dr. E. Gray resigned as Delegate, and Dr. W. J. G. Dawson was elected to fill out his term.

Dr. Geo. H. Evans of San Francisco, spoke on the subject of the White Plague. He referred to the serious danger which existed a year ago from Bubonic Plague, and called attention to the fact that while only 54 persons died from Bubonic Plague, 880 died in San Francisco from consumption.

Dr. J. Henry Barbat discussed the question of tuberculosis in bones and joints. Both papers were highly appreciated and extensively discussed.

Dr. A. R. Graham, Petaluma, was reinstated, and Drs. J. E. Maddox, Sebastopol, and F. N. Folsom, Forestville, were elected to membership. Applications were received from Dr. M. B. McAuley and Dr. Fred Leix.

The next meeting will be held in Healdsburg, May 7th, 1909.

G. W. MALLORY, Secretary.

**NEW AND NON-OFFICIAL REMEDIES.**

Articles accepted for N. N. R.:

- Enzymol (Fairchild Bros. & Foster).
- Sabromin (Farbenfabriken of Elberfeld Co.)
- Medinal Tablets, 5 grains (Schering & Glatz).
- Pituitary Substance (Anterior Lobe) (Desiccated) Armour & Co.
- Pituitary Substance (Posterior Lobe) (Desiccated) Armour & Co.
- Parathyroid Gland (Desiccated) Armour & Co.

Articles accepted for N. N. R. Appendix:

- Compressed Tablets Anesthesin  $2\frac{1}{2}$  grains \*(Sharp & Dohme).
- Solution Atoxyl 10% (Sharp & Dohme).
- Solution Atoxyl 10% with Novocaine 1% (Sharp & Dohme).
- Compressed Tablets Atoxyl and Quinine Comp., (Sharp & Dohme).
- Compressed Tablets Benzsol  $2\frac{1}{2}$  grains (Sharp & Dohme).
- Compressed Tablets Benzsol and Codein (Sharp & Dohme).
- Compressed Tablets Blaud with Atoxyl (Sharp & Dohme).
- Compressed Lozenges, Orthoform, 1 grain (Sharp & Dohme).
- Compressed Tablets Pyramidon  $1\frac{1}{2}$  grains (Sharp & Dohme).

Articles reconsidered and rejected:

- Salit (Heyden Chemical Works).

Transfer of Agency:

- Stovaine (formerly sold by Walter F. Sykes, New York, now sold by the Parmele Pharmacal Co.)

**A PUBLIC HEALTH CAR.**

The following models and charts will be arranged by Doctors Foster and Snow, and are installed in a remodeled chair car, and were on the siding at San Jose, two blocks from Hotel Vendome, during the meeting of the State Society.

**Models of:—**

1. A kitchen operating room.
2. Ventilation of a room, 2 illustrations.
3. Room arranged for isolation of communicable diseases.
4. Sand filter for water supplies.
5. Garbage Incinerator (pit and cone method).
6. Septic tank.
7. Butcher shop and tenement of tuberculosis patient.
8. Room in disinfection.
9. Tent for Tuberculosis case.
10. Frame for Tuberculosis case.
11. Five other fresh air contrivances.
12. Polluted surface well.
13. Polluted lake.
14. Series, 6 models, polluted stream.
15. Average California dairy, (one half as they exist, other half showing improvements that should be made).
16. Farm house, showing conditions, following tuberculosis and typhoid.
17. Disposal of human excretion series.
18. Cuspidors, etc.
19. Tombstone series.
20. Miscellaneous small models of various sanitary devices, etc.

**CHARTS.** Showing occupations, vital statistics of California, etc. About 20 charts 30 by 40 inches and 100 charts 20 by 30 and 14 by 22 inches individually.

**AMERICAN PROCTOLOGIC SOCIETY.**

**This Society Will Hold Its Eleventh Annual Meeting at Atlantic City, N. J., June 7 and 8, 1909.**

Headquarters and place of meeting, Haddon Hall. The profession is cordially invited to attend all meetings.

**TO MEMBERS OF THE TUBERCULOSIS ASSOCIATION.**

To the Members of the California Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis:—At the suggestion of Mr. C. B. Boothe, the American Association for International Conciliation will be glad to send the documents of the Association as published to the members of the California Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis who signify their desire to have this done.

The documents, which are issued monthly, are designed to furnish brief but authoritative statements of various aspects of international relations and are distributed without charge, post-paid, to all persons upon the mailing list of the Association.

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**PUBLICATIONS.**

**New and Nonofficial Remedies.** Articles Which Have Been Accepted by the Council on Pharmacy and Chemistry of the American Medical Association, Prior to January, 1909. Chicago: Press of the American Medical Association, 103 Dearborn Avenue. Paper, 25c; cloth, 50c.

This is the first regular edition of the Annual New and Nonofficial Remedies, and it contains a list of the remedial preparations approved by the Council on Pharmacy and Chemistry of the American Medical Association. Instead of adhering strictly to an alphabetic arrangement a classification has been adopted which permits an easy comparison of remedies of similar origin and properties. Mixtures are to be found in the appendix and a number of non-